

LOCAL.—A negro "contraband" to whom employment had been given, stole the other day, from the residence where she was hired, \$43. in silver; she was arrested and sent to jail for trial.—Lieut. G. Fred. Potter, of this place, attached to Pate's battalion, was captured near the Federal lines, on the James river, recently, and carried to the Rip Raps.—Seven Confederate prisoners recently captured near Calpeper Court House, were brought to this place. The following are their names: J. E. Legg, Co. F, Ashby's cavalry; H. U. Harris, 21st Va.; Jos. Cheeney, 1st Va. battery; Simpson Freare, 19th Va.; Chas Loveday, Ashby's cavalry; W. B. Todd, Co. A, 18th Miss.; H. Mabry, 1st Tenn.—Charles Whiting, son of Mr. F. H. Whiting, of this place, captured at the battle of Fair Oaks, is among the prisoners now confined at Fort Warren.—Henry Fossett and Robt. E. Violett have been arrested by the military authorities here and are confined at the Provost Marshall's office.—A fire broke out in the house at the north east corner of Cameron and Henry streets yesterday afternoon, which was extinguished before much damage was done.—The steamer Planter, Captain Weems, left Baltimore yesterday afternoon on her first trip to Washington via Potomac river, and designs making regular trips between the ports of Baltimore and those of Alexandria, Georgetown and Washington. Since the withdrawal of the steamers of the old line, consisting of the Columbia, St. Nicholas and Diamond State, much inconvenience has been experienced by parties residing on both sides of the Potomac in reaching Baltimore, and this place.—Since the late heavy rains, the weather has turned cool.

With the view of preventing such waste as would impair the necessary supply of water in Washington during the hot weather, Wm. B. Webb, superintendent, has issued an order to the police permitting the use of pavement street-washers of hand hose for fifteen minutes only between sunrise and 7 o'clock in the morning, and at sunset and during an hour hereafter. All leaks, wastes, or overflows must be at once reported.

The Richmond Enquirer of the 15th inst., says, that daily at meal times the Richmond Provost Guard searches the hotels and eating places in that city for men and officers of their regiments all who cannot show authority beyond question for their presence there.

A female spy who had her skirts stiffened with contraband letters was discovered in Camp Douglas, near Chicago, a few days since. The documents found upon her, it is said, may get some of the citizens of Chicago into trouble.

A letter from N. York in the Baltimore American says, "the public here are getting impatient at the continued lethargy of the army in Virginia. However unreasonable that patience may be, there can be no denying that it exists. It finds audible expression in the great marts of business, in the streets, everywhere else where men are talking of the state of the country. An impression of raining ground, however, at the same time, we are expecting too much of the army, until it can be strengthened with reinforcements, to act on the offensive is out of the question."

The N. Y. Independent of this week has another two column double leaded sensation article—in the same vein of a similar production in the same paper of last week—taking a rather desponding view of the military situation, and scolding the President in terms not very becoming on the part of a professedly religious journal. Mr. Beecher is said to have penned the article.

The Albany City Council have ordered the issue of small due bills of the Corporation of Albany.

A novel mode of keeping inattentive somnolents "all alive" in the churches has just been adopted in the Duchy of Saxe-Gotha.—Beadle armed with long wands go round touching lightly all those they catch napping. This plan has been attended with great success.

MARRIED.

On the 4th of June, by Rev. G. W. Burns, in Salisbury, Md., GEORGE D. KENNER, of Alexandria, Va., to MISS MARGARET HOOSMAN, of Dorchester county Md.

WASHINGTON AND ALEXANDRIA.—The steamer Young America will leave Fowle's wharf, Alexandria, at 9 and 11 A. M., and 1, 3, 5 and 7 P. M.

Leave the foot of Eleventh street, Washington, at 8 and 10 A. M., 12 M., and 2, 4 and 6 P. M.

Fare, 15 cents.
my 26—tf E. A. RYHER, Captain.

REMOVAL.—BRYAN & ADAMS have removed their Counting Room, to No. 24, South Royal street, where they hope their friends will call and settle outstanding dues.
jy 14—6t

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WATCHMAKER AND JEWELER,
NO. 86 KING STREET,
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je 21—1m

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Fare, 15 cents.
my 26—tf SAM'L GEDNEY, Captain.

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HAS CONSTANTLY on hand a large assortment of **FAMILY GROCERIES**, consisting of BACON, of all kinds; FLOUR by the barrel or smaller packages; BUCKWHEAT, CURRANTS, RAISINS, PRUNES, FIGS, SARDINES, &c., &c., to which he invites the attention of customers.
my 13

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je 27—1m

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The whole
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ADMISSION.—Main Hall, 25 cents; gentleman and lady to Orchestra, 25 cents each; gentleman, unaccompanied by ladies, to Orchestra, 35.
jy 12—1w

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